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Ernest Richardson Not

Killed as Reported.

Last week we copied a telegraphic report from one of the dailies that Ernest Richardson, formerly of this city, had been killed in Oklahoma.

Mr. Robert Lockridge, his uncle, on Monday called us up over the 'phone and said he had just received a card from him and that he was well and happily situated in Arizona, and that he had never been in Oklahoma. We are more than pleased to make this correction and are sure his many friends in this, his old home town, will be glad to hear that the report was incorrect.

Resigns Position.

Mr. Wm. O'Neal, who has been the efficient Manager of the Olympian Springs Hotel for several seasons has resigned his position. He will be succeeded by Mr. Kriener, of Martinsville, Ind. Mr. O'Neal is a first-class hotel man and a splendid gentleman and has many friends in this city who will regret his leaving the Springs. He has not yet decided where he will locate.

Slayers of Marshal

Pettit Found Guilty.

The jury in the case against George, Richard and Tenney Smothers and Frank Williams, charged with the murder of Marshal A. T. Pettit, of Clay City, found the defendants guilty and fixed the penalty at a life sentence in the penitentiary. The jury was out two hours and twenty minutes.

House Party at Olympian Springs.

Mrs. Gratton Woodson (nee Miss Mary Helvins) entertained the following young ladies with a week end house party at Olympian Springs. Misses Nancy Kathryn Owings, Allee Young, of this city; and Miss Irene Woodson, of Middlesboro.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to express my sincere and heartfelt thanks to my many friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown me in the loss of my father, W. H. H. Miller. Clay Miller.

Sells Fine Feeders.

Mr. Chas. Hainline sold last week to Mr. R. C. Gatewood, 40 feeding cattle at 7 cents for October delivery. This is one of the best sales reported.

For Sale.

Have some extra fine comb honey at 15c per pound. Extracted or strained honey at 12c per pound. Raymond Smathers Phone 664 Sharpburg, Ky.

Wide mouth fruit jars at Vandersell's.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY

Fourth of July Attracts Immense Crowd to Our City

Same Fourth Observed and Thoroughly Enjoyed by All

The fireworks display at the Fair Grounds under the management of the Montgomery County Fair Association, was witnessed by a large crowd, in fact we believe the largest crowd ever on the grounds for an affair of this kind. Splendid horse, automobile and motor cycle races were enjoyed in the afternoon.

Mr. R. D. Barnes and J. C. Graves were in charge of the celebration for the Fair Company and we are glad to report it was a financial success. The committee succeeded in raising about \$300.00 among the merchants and the gate receipts raised this to a total of about \$1150.00 the expenses were about \$750.00 to \$800.00, leaving a nice profit to the Fair Company which would have stood the loss in case of rain. While the fireworks this year was first-class it was hardly as good as last year.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere and heartfelt thanks to our relatives, friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kindness shown us in the death of our beloved mother and wife, Mrs. Jane Douglas. The close of her life was as peaceful and calm as the life she lived.

She is gone, but not forgotten, Never shall her memory fade; Sweetest thoughts shall ever linger, Around the grave where she is laid. The bereaved Husband and Children.

The Five Gaited Saddle Class for \$1,000, at the Montgomery County Fair, Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 23-26 inclusive, will have Rectina, Flying Hawk, Hazel Dawn, Jack Barrymore, Princess V., Mary Yandell Fox, and all the sensational horses in it. Don't fail to see it. Season Tickets \$1.50.

Roofing for Sale.

See Henry Judy, who will save you money on all kinds of metal roofing and give you the very best material. 42-1f

For Sale.

House and lot on North Sycamore street J. W. Jones. tf

Buy your paris green from the Variety Store.

To the Holders of Warehouse Receipts in the 1909 Crop.

We are now ready to issue the stock certificates in the Burley Tobacco Company to all persons who hold warehouse receipts on the 1909 crop of tobacco.

By resolution passed by the District Board of the Burley Tobacco Company on July 2nd, 1913, the Secretary of the Company was instructed to request the holders of warehouse receipts to deliver them to their County Chairman or County Secretary, who will forward the warehouse receipts to the Lexington office, or to mail their warehouse receipts direct to the Secretary of the Company at Lexington, Ky., and the certificate for the amount of stock to which they are entitled will be issued and returned to them. All holders will please give their correct post office address so that it will enable us to return to them their stock certificate without delay.

All banks holding warehouse receipts as collateral will please mail these receipts direct to the Lexington office or to some bank in Lexington and we will issue the stock certificates and return them, together with the receipts to the bank selected in Lexington or by mail to the bank holding same.

Burley Tobacco Company.

By J. M. Rankin, Secretary.

Women to Vote in Hancock.

The County Clerk of Hancock county announced that he will provide separate ballots for the women at the coming August primary in order that they may vote for the office of County School Superintendent. So far women will exercise their vote for this office in Fayette, Henderson and Hancock counties. In most of the counties however, it is believed that the county clerks will decline to make the necessary provisions for the women voters, and in this way a test case is expected to be made and carried to the Court of Appeals for a final adjudication of the vexed question whether the school suffrage law extends to the office of School Superintendent. — Louisville Times.

Miss Day's House Party.

Miss Margaret Day, of Winchester, entertained from Thursday until Monday with a delightful house party, the following young ladies being her guests: Misses Virginia Moore, Gladys Pieratt, Dorothy Duncan, Aneta Moore, Emerald Judy, Hazel O'Rear, Marcia Moss and Mae Bell DeLong. On Thursday afternoon Miss Day entertained with an enjoyable lawn party, on Thursday night a delightful dance was given at Scobee's warehouse in compliment to her visitors and on Friday night Miss Day entertained with a River party.

Mother of Mrs. S. S. Pinney Dies in This City Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Peters Brother died in this city Thursday night, July 3, death being caused by heart trouble. Mrs. Brother was a member of the Christian Church in Owingsville and a lovely Christian lady, whom to know was to love. She is survived by three children, Mrs. S. S. Pinney, of this city, and two sons, Charley and Eugene, of Owingsville, and her husband, Mr. J. M. Brother. The relatives have the deepest sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

Don't fail to attend the Big Poultry Show and Floral Hall Exhibit at the Montgomery County Fair, Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 23-26 inclusive.

NEW PLAN ENDORSED

At Enthusiastic Meeting of the Business Men's Club

Held Monday Night—Good Roads the Slogan.

The monthly meeting of the Mt. Sterling Business Men's Club held Monday night, was one of the most enthusiastic and at the same time one of the best attended meetings the club has ever had. A number of important matters were considered, including the propositions to improve the Paris and Maysville turnpikes. After a general discussion in which many prominent members took part, the Advocate's pet plan to conduct the county's fiscal affairs by commission, was endorsed by a unanimous vote. Every taxpayer in the county should study the commission plan. It is the new, up-to-date method and should take the place of the old obsolete Fiscal Court, composed of Magistrates. Watch the Advocate for facts and figures, which will appear in each issue between now and the November election. The fight is on and the people must win.

Bonnets in the Ring.

Some of the County Clerks are announcing that they will allow women to vote in the races for County School Superintendent. If this should be generally permitted, we begin to see the finish of the male superintendents. About twenty or more women already hold this office in Kentucky counties, and bonnets are likely to be tossed in the rings by the dozens in case the authorities give the "suffragettes" a clear right of way. — Frankfort State Journal.

Mr. Walter Turner and Miss Mattie Robinson Married.

Mr. Walter V. Turner and Miss Mattie Robinson surprised their many friends by being quietly married last Tuesday night at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. A. H. Hibshman performing the ceremony. Both the bride and groom are well known and are very popular with a host of admiring friends who join us in wishing for them a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Changes in Postal System.

The government has changed the parcels post system so that any kind of postage will now carry packages and it will not be necessary to obtain the special stamps. Parcel post stamps or regular stamps are now good on regular mail but as soon as the supply of parcels post stamps has been exhausted there will be no more made.

New Candidate.

At the earnest solicitation of many friends Mr. Frank P. Boyd, of the Harts neighborhood, decided to be a candidate for Magistrate in the sixth district. This district is normally Republican, but it is believed that with the proper effort a gentleman of Mr. Boyd's standing can be elected.

Great Trotting and Pacing Races Daily at the Montgomery County Fair, Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 23-26 inclusive. The fastest racing to be seen in the State. Grella's Band and Miss Charlotte Brand as Soloist. Buy Season Tickets now.

Report of Candidates Signing the Pledge For a Clean Election.

The following candidates signed and returned the pledge sent them: Rufus Hadden, J. Will Clay, M. J. Goodwin, John F. Richardson, J. H. Blount, Dr. B. M. Manning, Joe. W. Langston, J. T. Barnes, O. W. McCormick. This shows only nine out of twenty, and therefore is not sufficient to make the pledge binding upon those who have signed.

This leaves the matter up to the people of the county, and steps ought to be taken at once to detect and punish every vote buyer in the county. The buyer is worse than the seller and should be prosecuted first. Respectfully,

B. C. HORTON.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 7, 1913.

Attacked by Bull.

Mr. Luther Bittinger was attacked by a bull last week leading him from one field to another and narrowly escaped being seriously injured. Mr. Bittinger had a hatchett in his hand and beat the animal in the head with it, but it didn't seem to have any effect, so he threw it away and grabbed the bull by the head and threw him to his knees and made for the gate nearby.

Mr. Bittinger had a very narrow escape and as it was got a bruised head and dislocated thumb and many scratches.

Look at the Map.

The Fiscal Court of Clark county, met Tuesday morning and, upon receiving the report of the Mt. Sterling Business Men's Club that the latter had raised the \$1,500 agreed upon as their share of the cost of making the Paris pike to the Bourbon county line a model road, ordered that the work be started at once. Esquire W. D. Henry, English Anderson and John W. William were selected a committee to have absolute charge of the work. The county and local Business Men's Club will spend \$4,000 repairing the pike. — Paris Kentuckian Citizen.

No, Mt. Sterling is not in Clark county.

Camargo to Have a Band.

A band will be organized at Camargo, Wednesday night, July 16th, under the direction of Mr. C. C. Schooler, former director of the Mt. Sterling Band. This will be the only band in Montgomery county and the Camargo boys should be encouraged.

We serve only Huyler's Chocolate at our fountain. Geiger's Pharmacy.

GOVERNMENT REPORT

On Proposed Road From Mt. Sterling to Maysville.

Government Willing to Bear One-Third of Cost.

The Government expert sent here some weeks ago to view the turnpike from Mt. Sterling to Maysville, proposed to be improved with government aid, has filed his report. Our citizens have also been informed that if the whole route cannot be improved, the government will aid in improving the pike from Mt. Sterling to Sharpburg and it is believed the citizens living along the proposed route will subscribe enough to make the plan a success. The counties of Montgomery and Bath will contribute all they are able out of the funds available for that purpose. It must be borne in mind, however, that the Fiscal Courts cannot go beyond the current year and anticipate future levies.

The report in full is as follows: REPORT ON DESIGNATED POST ROAD IN KENTUCKY.

DESIGNATED ROAD.

The section of road designated in Kentucky under the Postoffice appropriation act of August, 1912, extends from Mt. Sterling on the C. & O. R. R., in Montgomery county, to Maysville on the C. & O. R. R. and on the Ohio River, in Mason county. The road is the old Montgomery - Flemingsburg - Mt. Sterling pike, which has been used probably for more than one hundred years, and which for a great many years maintained as a toll road. It extends from Mt. Sterling, through Judy, through Sharpburg, through Bethel, to Sherburne on the Licking River, thence through Tilton, Flemingsburg, Wedonia and Louisville, to Maysville on the Ohio River. The total length of the road is approximately 49.5 miles, distributed as follows:

Montgomery county, 7.5 miles.
Bath county, 13 miles.
Fleming county, 17 miles.
Mason county, 12 miles.

PRESENT CONDITION.

About fifty years ago this road was reconstructed as a limestone

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